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## PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

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For: LIGHT EMITTING DEVICE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

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Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace claims 3-14 as follows:

3. (Amended) A light emitting device as claimed in claim 1, wherein the substrate has a corrugated surface.

4. (Amended) A light emitting device as claimed in claim 1, wherein a conductive polymer layer is formed over the transparent electrode, the conductive polymer layer having a corrugated surface opposite to a surface facing the transparent electrode, and the light emitting material being in contact with said corrugated surface of the conductive polymer layer.

5. (Amended) A light emitting device as claimed in claim 1, wherein the light emitting material has an absorption coefficient of less than 1000 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

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